

RULE

Department of Health and Hospitals Board of Dentistry

Dentists—Advertising/Soliciting and Licensure Credentials (LAC 46:XXXIII.301 and 306)

In accordance with the applicable provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq., the Dental Practice Act, R.S. 37:751, et seq., and particularly R.S. 37:760(8), the Department of Health and Hospitals, Board of Dentistry has amended LAC 46:XXXIII.301, "Advertising and Soliciting by Dentists" and LAC 46:XXXIII.306, "Requirements of Applicants for Licensure by Credentials."

Title 46

PROFESSIONAL AND OCCUPATIONAL STANDARDS

Part XXXIII. Dental Health Professions

Chapter 3. Dentists

§301. Advertising and Soliciting by Dentists

A. - J.4. ...

K. Appendages. In addition to those appendages required by law pertaining to one's business entity such as professional dental corporation (P.C.) or dental limited liability company (L.L.C.), dentists may only use those abbreviations or appendages as specified under R.S. 37:771 or other degrees earned from accredited colleges or universities after their names. Fellowships, awards, membership in academies, or non-degreed boards may be spelled out in their entirety under one's name, but not appended to the name so as to avoid confusion to the consumer.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R. S. 37:760(8).

HISTORICAL NOTE: Adopted by the Department of Health and Human Resources, Board of Dentistry, December 1970, amended 1971, amended and promulgated LR 13:179 (March 1987), amended by Department of Health and Hospitals, Board of Dentistry, LR 15:966 (November 1989), LR 18:739 (July 1992), LR 20:657 (June 1994), LR 21:567 (June 1995), LR 22:23 (January 1996).

§ 306. Requirement of Applicants for Licensure by Credentials

A. 1. - 16. ...

17. Possesses a current certificate in Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation Course "C", Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers as defined by the American Heart Association or the Red Cross Professional Rescue Course.

A. 18. - 20. ...

B. ...

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